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In re application of: ADAMIC, ET AL

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For: TORQUE LOCKING SYSTEM FOR FASTENING A WEAR MEMBER

Attorney Docket No.: 0247.00006

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated September 26, 2002, Paper Number 9. Please amend the application as indicated below, consistent with the instructions found attached hereto:

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